

## House Resolution No. 23

**Whereas**, the Missouri House of Representatives holds in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have made exceptional contributions to the public good in local communities and neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, the Reverend Jack Daniel of Mount Vernon has attained considerable distinction as a minister who has guided the congregation of First Christian Church/Disciples of Christ for the past three years in a religious endeavor which has spanned four decades; and

**Whereas**, during the Reverend Jack Daniel's tenure as minister, First Christian Church/Disciples of Christ in Mount Vernon placed twenty-fifth in the nation for growth by a congregation of its size; and

**Whereas**, in addition to proving to be instrumental in implementing the Hope Center for families in need, the Reverend Jack Daniel also deserves mention of his activities related to service as Chair of the Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce Membership Committee whose leadership resulted in the addition of forty-two members, Chaplain of the Rotary, member of the Steering Committee for Apple Butter Makin' Days, Chair of the 2003 Agriculture Committee which introduced a tractor show to Mount Vernon in connection with the Apple Butter festival, and an organizer of Holiday Central for seventeen agencies and churches which distributed one hundred thirty-six food baskets at Christmas; and

**Whereas**, the Reverend Jack Daniel races stockcars, an avocation which earned him a Championship in 2002, Rookie of the Year status at the Monett Speedway in 2003, and the support and admiration of his beloved family which includes his wife, Renae; three sons, Shannon, Shayne, and Chad; two daughters-in-law, Vicki and Darla; and two grandchildren, Amanda and Jerod; and

**Whereas**, the Reverend Jack Daniel will be an honoree at the Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce banquet on Saturday, January 10, 2004, at which time he will receive a well-deserved Citizen of the Year award in light of his tremendous success in improving the quality of life for residents in the area:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the work and accomplishments of the Reverend Jack Daniel and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon his receipt of a well-deserved Citizen of the Year award from the Mount Vernon Chamber of Commerce and our best wishes for continued great success for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to the Reverend Jack Daniel of Mount Vernon, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Jack Goodman  
District No. 132

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 23, adopted January 8, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker